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Widely Different Opinions.

The following from the Ashland Record shows how easy it is for two men to differ in their opinions of a public man. Hon. R. A. Emmitt is Lake county's representative and a "square man."
Representative R. A. Emmitt of Klamath county, arrived from Salem Friday and visited his daughter, Miss Charm Emmitt, who is attending the Ashland High school. Together they spent Saturday and Sunday with another daughter, Mrs. Hank Giddings, at Klamath. Mr. Emmitt left for Keno Tuesday. He voted against Mr. Corbett through the entire session and claims to have some personal experience that the Corbett managers were not conducting a strictly righteous campaign.

Representative E. D. Briggs reached home Friday from the north and was kept busy all day explaining his position on the senatorship and other matters of a legislative character. Briggs took the ground that Mitchell was no good, just a broken down politician, and that Corbett was both mentally, physically and financially the better man. Strange to say, many republicans differ with their representative.

A Democratic contemporary, comparing the inauguration of Thomas Jefferson as President of the United States, with the induction of William McKinley on the 4th of March last, says that "Jefferson rode into Washington to his inauguration on horseback attended by one servant, while McKinley goes into office attended by 25,000 soldiers and a large army of sycophants and political parasites." Well, what of it? Does this contemporary think the world came to a standstill when Jefferson was inaugurated and has never moved since? It was one hundred years ago since Jefferson held the presidency, and during that time the United States has moved to the front rank with the nations of the earth. Time and advancement make many changes. A new era came and went and was succeeded by other eras. It is not strange that the changes brought about in an hundred years should bring with them no serious and unprejudiced objections to the presidential inauguration ceremonies being conducted with pomp and splendor befitting the greatest nation on earth. Truly, if Thomas Jefferson could but gaze upon the magnificence of the great republic to-day—the republic of his conception, but not completion—would he say, 'tis well; my successors have carried out my plans to perfection. One hundred years have made great changes for the betterment of my beloved country.

Senator Mitchell was seated in the Senate of the United States on the 5th instant, the day following the inauguration of President McKinley and Vice-President Roosevelt. Mr. Mitchell was allotted the seat which Senator Quay occupied when he re-entered the Senate a short time ago. This seat is in the back row, about the center of the Republican side of the chamber, and is to be preferred to a seat in what is known as the "Cherokee Strip," on the Democratic side, where most of the new Senators are compelled to sit when first entering the Senate. Senator Simon now has the seat formerly occupied by Senator Carter, in the front row to the left of the Vice-President.

Wool buyers E. H. Clarke and Sam Wilkinson are stopping at Heppner at present, but if there are any wool deals being made the facts are kept quiet. There is a slight difference of about two cents per pound standing between the buyers and producers, and indications point to a long drawn out deadlock in the wool market at Heppner.

As a result of a speech by Hon. J. N. Williamson before the Pacific Northwest Woolgrowers' Association, at Pendleton, last week, a resolution was framed and wired to Washington asking Congress to pass a law giving a government bounty on wolf and coyote scalps.

Carter of Montana signaled his retirement from the United States Senate, after six years' brilliant service, by talking the River and Harbor bill to death. We shall remember this when writing Mr. Carter's obituary.

And they tell us that the Boer war is over. Well, may be so. But we shall see. It can't be believed until brave DeWett is in the toils.

McKINLEY'S CABINET.

The President has sent the following nominations to the Senate, which comprise his old cabinet:
John Hay, of the District of Columbia, to be Secretary of State.
Lyman T. Gage, of Illinois, to be Secretary of the Treasury.
Elihu Root, of New York, to be Secretary of War.
John W. Griggs, of New Jersey, to be Attorney-General.
James E. Morey Smith, of Pennsylvania, to be Postmaster-General.
John D. Long, of Massachusetts, to be Secretary of the Navy.
Ethan A. Hitchcock, of Missouri, to be Secretary of the Interior.
James Wilson, of Iowa, to be Secretary of Agriculture.
It is understood that Attorney-General Griggs will retain office until the President has been able to select his successor.
The Senate has confirmed all the cabinet nominations.

The Philippine Forests.

It is estimated that the forest lands of the Philippine Islands cover 40,000,000 acres; larger in extent and greater in value than the forests of India. There are 385 species of timber-producing trees, and about 50 more species as yet unclassified. Included in the above list are very hard woods, capable of taking a beautiful polish; woods that resist climatic influences and the attack of white ants; still others that are especially suited for sea-piling or for use as railroad ties. There are many varieties of trees producing valuable gums, oils, and drugs; rubber and gutta-percha are abundant in Mindano and Tawi-Tawi; while at least 17 dye-woods are found within the limits of the Archipelago. Coconut palms grow without care or cultivation throughout the islands. There are also many varieties of palms, bamboo, canes, and rattan which are of commercial value and will afford profitable employment to native labor.

Notes From Plush.

The Plush correspondent to the Paisley Post has the following regarding well known Warner Valley residents:
Surveyor Charley Moore of Lakeview is here surveying for Bill Barry and others. Al M. Dowell, we understand, is locating a new and permanent home. We are glad to know that Al and his pleasant family are to become more fixed here than they have been. It would have been sad to have them move away. No social assembly here is complete in its fullness of enjoyment without them.
Mrs. Daisy Morris has been installed as mistress of the JJ ranch home, while her jolly husband, John, takes a place amongst "the boys." This is highly pleasing to us all. Whoever spends an hour with these two young people, bids them goodbye, feeling better toward the world.

The costliest picture in the world is owned by the duke of Marlborough, who has a large and very expensive collection of pictures which has come down to him from the original duke of Marlborough, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. The rarest of them is the Blenheim "Madonna," painted by Raphael in 1507 and now valued at \$350,000. The picture was originally painted for the Church of the Servi at Perugia. It is eight feet high, representing the Madonna and child seated on a throne, with a figure of St. John the Baptist on the left and that of St. Nicholas of Bari on the right, the last two being life size. Its high value is due to the fact that it is one of the best preserved of the pictures of Raphael which are now in existence. It has been proposed that the British government buy this picture. Blenheim palace is so-called in honor of the battle which the English, under the duke of Marlborough, won over the French, and was given to the great soldier by Queen Anne. Every year a little flag worked with fleur-de-lis is sent to Windsor castle by way of rent and hung upon the walls of the palace.

A report is current in London that the English Government anticipates a speedy announcement of the surrender of General Botha, the Boer Commander-in-chief. A dispatch from General Kitchener says General De Wet is north of Bradford, Orange River Colony. Col. Pitcher's column has charged the country of Boers between a Bloemfontein and Orange River.

Here is a refreshing bit of news from a Democratic contemporary: "Roosevelt appeared in a decent suit of apparel at the inaugural and acted the gentleman."

Prof. Ivison of Lonaconing, Md., suffered terribly from neuralgia of the stomach and indigestion for thirteen years and after the doctors failed to cure him they fed him on morphine. A friend advised the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and after taking a few bottles of it he says, "It has cured me entirely. I can't say too much for Kodol Dyspepsia Cure." It digests what you eat. Lakeview Drug Co.

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